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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Yann Desprez-Le Goarant et al.  
Application No. : 09/787,977  
Filed : September 25, 1998  
For : DIGITAL CUT-OFF CONTROL LOOP FOR TV USING  
SPEEDING AND BLANKING CIRCUITS

Examiner : Jean Wicel Desir  
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## AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents:

In response to the Office Action mailed September 24, 2003, please extend the period of time for response one month, to expire on January 26, 2003. Enclosed are a Petition for an Extension of Time and the requisite fee. Please amend the application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 6 of this paper and include an attached Replacement Sheet.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.